

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NO. 2008-80-C

Global Tel*Link Corporation ("Global") has filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") a request for Alternative Regulatory treatment pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-585. Global requests that the Commission regulate its inmate telecommunications services offerings as described in accordance with the principles and procedures established in Order Nos. 95-1734 and 96-55 in Docket No. 95-661-C. According to the Application, Global's intent is to have its inmate services regulated in the same manner as the Commission has permitted for AT&T Communications of the Southern States.

More specifically, Global requests the following: (1) removal of maximum rate tariff requirements for its inmate services offerings; (2) tariff filings are presumed valid upon filing; and (3) any relaxation in the reporting requirements that may be adopted for AT&T shall apply to Global also. Global's primary purpose in requesting Alternative Regulation is to facilitate the processing of its tariff revisions filed with the Commission, and to eliminate the requirement to include both maximum and current rates in its tariff.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov, and is available from Robin Norton, Consultant, Technologies Management, Inc., 2600 Maitland Center Pkwy., Suite 300, Maitland, Florida 32751.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **April 7, 2008**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2008-80-C.***

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, should notify the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1441 Main Street, Ste. 300 Columbia SC 29201, and Robin Norton, Consultant, at the above address, on or before **April 7, 2008**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2008-80-C.***

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below on or before **April 7, 2008**. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2008-80-C.***

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

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